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THE DOBSON TRUST

Charity number: 283158

Charity reporting is up to date (on time)

Charity overview

Activities - how the charity spends its money

The Trust was set up in 1981 by a bequest from Mr W. H. Dobson (a former Gillingham Borough Council engineer) for the purpose of providing enjoyment and welfare to elderly people in the Gillingham Borough Area. The trust exercise this duty by giving grants to groups providing welfare for the elderly, as well as making direct grants to individuals.

Income and expenditure

Data for financial year ending 31 March 2024

Total income: £1,594

Total expenditure: £1,994

People

4 Trustee(s)

Employees with total benefits over £60,000

No information available

Fundraising
No information available
Trading
No information available
Trustee payments
No information available

What, who, how, where

What the charity does:
General Charitable Purposes

Who the charity helps:
Elderly/old People

How the charity helps:
Makes Grants To Individuals

Makes Grants To Organisations

Where the charity operates:
Medway

Governance

Registration history:
15 September 1981: Standard registration

Organisation type:
Trust

Other names:
No other names

Gift aid:
Not recognised by HMRC for gift aid

Other regulators:
No information available

Policies:
No policies declared

Land and property:
This charity does not own and/or lease land or property

Trustees

Trustees are the people responsible for controlling the work, management and administration of the charity on behalf of its beneficiaries. Generally trustees are treasurer, chair, board member etc. The trustees are responsible for keeping this list up to date and can do this by updating their details as they happen through the online service

4 Trustee(s)

Name	Role	Date of appointment	Other trusteeships	Reporting status of other trusteeships
ROBERT RUSSELL	Chair		None on record	
Jim Gilbourne	Trustee	02 May 2023	YOUNG MEDWAY	Received: On time
RODNEY CHAMBERS	Trustee		None on record	
JONATHAN BAYNES	Trustee		None on record	

Financial history

	Financial period end date					
	Income / Expenditure	**31/03/2020**	**31/03/2021**	**31/03/2022**	**31/03/2023**	**31/03/2024**
☑	Total gross income	£1.63k	£5.56k	£6.56k	£1.59k	£1.59k
☑	Total expenditure	£1.77k	£6.44k	£5.03k	£1.57k	£1.99k
☑	Income from government contracts	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
☑	Income from government grants	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Accounts and annual returns

This table shows the charity's record of submitting annual returns, accounts and trustees' annual report (TAR) for the last five financial periods.

Title	Reporting year	Date received	Received	Download
Annual return	31 March 2024	24 February 2025	24 days late	
Accounts and TAR	31 March 2024	Not required		
Annual return	31 March 2023	07 June 2024	128 days late	
Accounts and TAR	31 March 2023	Not required		
Annual return	31 March 2022	22 November 2022	On time	
Accounts and TAR	31 March 2022	Not required		
Annual return	31 March 2021	25 January 2022	On time	
Accounts and TAR	31 March 2021	Not required		
Annual return	31 March 2020	10 February 2021	10 days late	
Accounts and TAR	31 March 2020	Not required		

Submit annual return

Governing document

Details of the type of governing document the charity has and when it was established.
It is not the full text of the charity's governing document.

TRUST DEED DATED 1ST JULY 1981

Charitable objects

FOR THE USE, ENJOYMENT AND BENEFIT OF THE AGED PEOPLE WITIN THE BOROUGH OF GILLINGHAM.

Area of benefit

The area the charity can operate in, as set out in its governing document.

THE BOROUGH OF GILLINGHAM

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